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METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR ALLOCATING RECORDING SPACE ON A

RECORDING MEDIUM

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Sir:

RESPONSE UNDER 27 C.F.R. 1.116

In response to the Office Action mailed July 3, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: